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REMARKS

The Final Office Action indicated that Claims 7-11 were allowed, and that the subject matter of dependent Claims 2 and 4 would be allowed if rewritten in independent form.

Accordingly, applicant has cancelled the claims where a 35 U.S.C. §112 issue was involved.

Finally, Claim 3, a dependent claim from Claim 1, was rejected with Claim 1 but is believed to now be allowable since Claim 1 has been rewritten to incorporate the allowable subject matter of dependent Claim 2.

With the submission of these amended claims, only allowable subject matter is presented and the case is now in condition for allowance.

If the Examiner has any questions, he can contact the undersigned attorney at the listed phone number.

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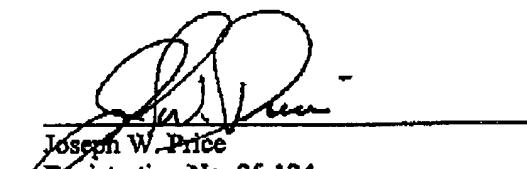
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